

<b>MISSISSIPPI'S FISH TISSUE ADVISORIES AND COMMERCIAL FISHING BANS AUGUST 2001</b>			
<b>WATERBODY</b>	<b>CHEMICAL</b>	<b>DATE ISSUED</b>	<b>ACTION</b>
Little Conehoma Creek and Yockanookany River in Attala and Leake Counties. From Hwy 35 near Kosciusko, downstream to Hwy 429 near Thomastown	PCB's	June 1987	Consumption Advisory All Species Commercial Fishing Ban
Lake Susie, Oxbow Lake of Old Tallahatchie River in Panola County west of Batesville.	PCB's	Nov. 1989	Same as above
Escatawpa River from the Alabama state line to I-10.	Mercury	May 1995	Limit Consumption Advisory for largemouth bass and large catfish (>27 in.)*
Bogue Chitto River, entire length in Mississippi.	Mercury	May 1995	Same as above
Yockanookany River, entire length.	Mercury	May 1995	Same as above
Pearl River from Hwy 25 near Carthage, downstream to the Leake County Water Park.	Mercury	June 2001	Same as above
Enid Reservoir	Mercury	May 1995	Same as above
Yocona River from Enid Reservoir downstream to the confluence with the Tallahatchie River.	Mercury	Sept. 1996	Same as above
Pascagoula River, entire length.	Mercury	Sept. 1996	Same as above
Archusa Creek Water Park	Mercury	Sept. 1996	Same as above
Grenada Lake and Yalobusha River from the dam downstream to Holcomb.	Mercury	June 2001	Same as above
Pearl River from Hwy 25 near Carthage, downstream to the Leake County Water Park.	Mercury	June 2001	Same as above
Mississippi Delta - all waters from the mainline Mississippi River Levee on the West to the Bluff hills on the East.	DDT, Toxaphene	June 2001	Limit Consumption Advisory for carp, buffalo, gar, and large catfish (>22 in.)****
Roebuck Lake, LeFlore County	DDT, Toxaphene	June 2001	Limit Consumption Advisory for carp, gar, and large catfish (>22 in.)**** No Consumption of Buffalo. Commercial Fishing Ban
Yazoo National Wildlife Refuge (all waters)	DDT, Toxaphene	1975	Closed to fishing**
Gulf of Mexico	Mercury	May 1998	King Mackerel <33" - no limit. 33-39" limit consumption.*** >39" - do not eat
* The Mississippi State Health Department recommends that people limit the amount of bass and large catfish that they eat from these areas, because of high levels of mercury in the fish. Children under seven and women of child bearing age should eat no more than one meal of these fish every two months. Other adults should eat no more than one meal of these fish every two weeks.			
** Precautionary advisory issued by U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service			
*** The Mississippi State Health Department recommends that people limit the amount of 33-39" King Mackerel they eat from the Mississippi Gulf Coast. Children under seven and women of child bearing age should eat no more than one meal of these fish every two months. Other adults should eat no more than one meal of these fish every two weeks.			
**** The Mississippi Department of Health recommends that people limit their consumption of these fish to no more than one meal every two weeks.			